

The dates for the field specimens in Trench 2 are presented in Table 7-28.

Table 7-28: Distribution of Flat Glass Thickness, Trench #2

Field Specimen	n/N	Mode (mm.)	Mean (mm.)	Mean Date
1	81/88	1.52	1.98	1898.6
2	24/25	1.52	1.65	1884.9
3	38/38	1.52	1.57	1881.6
4	25/30	1.52	1.60	1882.8
5	3/3	1.52	1.62	1883.7
6	28/29	1.52	0.73	1888.2
7	34/36	1.52	1.55	1880.8
8	16/20	1.52	1.50	1878.7
9	51/52	1.52	1.50	1878.7
10	41/46	1.52	1.45	1876.6
11	3/4	1.78	1.57	1881.6
12	8/9	1.27	1.37	1873.3

The data above suggest the following date ranges for the field specimens in Trench 2 (Table 7-29).

Table 7-29: Date Ranges Between Field Specimens, Trench 2

Field Specimen	Date Range	Modal Date
1	1858.8-1953.3	1879.5
2	1890.3-1897.5	1897.5
3	1879.5-1881.6	1879.5
4	1869.2-1900.7	1879.5
5	1879.5-1883.7	1879.5
6	1879.5-1900.7	1879.5
7	1879.5-1890.3	1879.5
8	1858.8-1879.5	1879.5
9	1858.8-1879.5	1879.5
10	1858.8-1879.5	1879.5
11	1881.6-1890.3	1890.3
12	1869.2-1879.5	bimodal: 1869.2, 1879.5

Most of the dates cluster around a range of 1879-1897. The dates are also fairly consistent throughout the entire feature suggesting rapid filling.

A Comparison of the Temporal Data

A comparison of the date ranges for nails, mean dates for ceramics, and modal dates for flat glass shows a set of dates which range across the entire 19th century (Table 7-30). The figures presented in this table are rounded off to the nearest year.